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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

In response to the **Final Office Action** mailed May 18, 2005 ("Office Action"), Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following Amendments to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, in the alternative, in better form for appeal.

Amendments to the claims, which are reflected in the Listing of Claims, begin on page 2.

Remarks begin at page 4.

Conclusion begins at page 8.

Applicant believes that no extensions of time are required at this time, but if extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to **Deposit Account No. 23-1951** (McGuireWoods). Please charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to the same Deposit Account.